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SUBJECT: PROPOSED REDUCTION OF USDAO, BEIRUT (INSPECTOR'S RECOMMENDATION NO. 51)

- 1. INSPECTOR'S RECOMMENDATION NO. 51 READS AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE: THAT THE DEPARTMENT (NEA/RA AND PM) RECOMMEND TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE THE REDUCTION OF THE OFFICE OF THE DEFENSE ATTACHE FROM FOUR OFFICER TO TWO. IT WOULD THEN PRESUMABLY CONSIST OF A NAVAL ATTACHE WHO WOULD ALSO SERVE AS DEFENSE ATTACHE, AND AN ARMY ATTACHE WHO WOULD FUNCTION PRIMARILY AS A SECURITY ASSISTANCE OFFICER. IF NECESSARY, AN AIR ATTACHE POSTED IN ANOTHER CAPITAL COULD ALSO BE ACCREDITED TO LEBANON. UNQUOTE.
- 2. NEA/ARN CONCURS WITH THE RECOMMENDATION AND IS SO INFORMING S/IG. HOWEVER, BEFORE PROCEEDING FURTHER WE NEED YOUR COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS WHICH, IF YOU AGREE WITH INSPECTORS RECOMMENDATION, WOULD INCLUDE REVIEW OF MATTER WITH DATT AND YOUR VIEWS ON VALIDITY OF ANY OBJECTIONS HE MAY RAISE. INGERSOLL CONFIDENTIAL

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